



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

Joseph S. Wasik, District Director
US Department of Labor
Office of Labor-Management Standards
1310 Dulski Federal Building, 111 W. Huron Street
Buffalo, NY 14202

February 13, 2001

RE: Pre-MUR 398

Dear Mr. Wasik:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 31, 2001, which we received on February 6, 2001, advising us of the possibility of a violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act") by IUE, Local Union #323. We will review the matter and advise you of the Commission's determination. Pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(4)(B) and § 437g(a)(12)(A), the Commission's review of this matter shall remain confidential until the file has been closed. Our file number for this matter is Pre-MUR 398.

If you have any questions or additional information, please call Alva E. Smith on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lois G. Lerner
Acting General Counsel

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Abigail A. Shaine".

BY: Abigail A. Shaine
Acting Associate General Counsel

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